

## Air Resources Board

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Mathew Rodriquez
Secretary for
Environmental Protection

December 22, 2014

Mr. Jared Blumenfeld Regional Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 9 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, California 94105

Dear Mr. Blumenfeld:

On February 10, 2014, the Air Resources Board (ARB) submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) a revision to the California State Implementation Plan (SIP) that included Placer County Air Pollution Control District (District) Rule 206, *Incinerator Burning*, which had been amended by the District Board on April 11, 2013. The District formally requested that ARB withdraw Rule 206 as a revision to the SIP in a December 4, 2014 letter (copy enclosed).

As a result of recent discussions with U.S. EPA regarding several rule provisions, U.S. EPA and the District agreed that withdrawal of Rule 206 is appropriate. The District and U.S. EPA plan to work closely together to amend the rule and resubmit for inclusion in the SIP at a later date. By this letter, ARB is therefore formally requesting to withdraw District Rule 206 from the SIP.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Karen Magliano, Acting Chief, Air Quality Planning and Science Division at (916) 322-7137 or by email at <a href="mailto:karen.magliano@arb.ca.gov">karen.magliano@arb.ca.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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**Executive Officer** 

**Enclosure** 

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: <a href="http://www.arb.ca.gov">http://www.arb.ca.gov</a>.

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